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SUBJECT: TRAVEL BY USG PERSONNEL TO THE GDR

REF: A.) MUNICH OM AUGUST 14, 1975  
B.) STATE 112231, MAY 14, 1975

1. DEPARTMENT HAS NO OBJECTION TO TRAVEL TO THE GDR BY CONSULATE GENERAL PERSONNEL USING TOURIST PASSPORTS. TRAVELLERS WOULD BE REQUIRED TO OBTAIN GDR TRANSIT VISAS FOR SUCH TRAVEL AND IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THE VISAS WOULD INCLUDE PHRASE "BERLIN - HAUPSTADT DER DDR". THIS LANGUAGE IS NOT ACCEPTABLE IN US DIPLOMATIC OR OFFICIAL PASSPORTS, BUT THERE WOULD BE NO PROBLEM WERE IT INSERTED IN A TOURIST PASSPORT.

2. IN REGARD TO MODE OF TRANSPORTATION, DEPARTMENT DOES NOT BELIEVE THAT TRAVEL BY PERSONAL AUTOMOBILE WITH MUNICH CONSULAR SERIES PLATES WOULD CAUSE PROBLEM. TRAVEL THROUGH THE GDR BY TRAIN IS ALSO ACCEPTABLE, AS TRAVELLERS WOULD BE LIKE ANY OTHER US TOURIST IN THIS CASE. ROBINSON

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